High Cost of Baseball Will Hit an Unwarranted and Prohibitive Mark if Brooklyn Gets Into World's Series

BROOKLYN BATTING BEE IN 5TH INNING DEFEATS ST. LOUIS

Dodgers Drive Lotz From Box, Avenging Shelling of Coombs in First Frame.

CHENEY, AS RESCUER, BEATS CARDS, 6 TO 3

By GEORGE B. UNDERWOOD.

For four and a half innings at Ebbets Field yesterday a friend from St. Louis eloquently discoursed on the dead ol' town. My, what a gran' ol' town it was! Puffectly wonderful ol' town, suah as youah born!

But along about the end of the fifth inning the man from the Mound City stopped orating about the glory that was Greece, the grandeur that was Rome and the splendor that was St. Louis. Doggone it all, he opined, since the Missouri A. C. burned down and Tony Faust's closed up, St. Louey wasn't St. Louey, no mo', nohow!

Our friend from Missouri offered a mighty good barometer as to how the ball game was progressing.

During the first four innings, while the citizen from the Show Me State was eulogizing the burg on the banks of the Mississippi, Joe Lotz, the Cardinal curver, was baffling the Brooklyn bludgeon wielders with his mystifying slants and letting 'em down with a pair of singles as widely separated as two mile posts. And right off the reel in the opening canto Huggins's Hussars had hammered Jack Coombs for two singles and a double and pushed two runs across the platter, necessitating Uncle Wilbert Robinson switching to Larry Cheney as pitcher in the second.

Superb Upper Firing.

But Blooey!

With two down in the fifth inning there came a sudden change. The demon Dodgers fell upon Lotz like wolves on the fold. Biff! Bang! Boom-m-m! They straightened his Alice-the-Beautiful-Cloak-Model curves into singles and doubles and triples, clustering six clouts in a row and sonorously clanging the scoring gong five times before Currie could be rushed to the rescue and extinguish the Brooklyn bingling conflagration. And right then and there one St. Louis friend got the blues funk.

That fifth inning bombardment by the Flatbush Fusileers changed the score from St. Louis 2, Brooklyn 1, to Brooklyn 6, St. Louis 2. An error by Ivy Olson paved the way for another Cardinal count in the ninth frame, but the smoke of battle drifted off the field with the Superbas triumphant by a score of 6 to 3.

It was the strong right arm, the stout heart and the puzzling spitter of one Larry Cheney that did most to accomplish the conquering of the Cardinals. After taking up the pitcher's burden in the second canto the prominent citizen of Haines City, Fla., figuratively stood the Cardinal swatters on their heads. He fanned nine men and did not issue a solitary pass. Most of the five hits harvested off Cheney's delivery were of the scratch variety.

Wheat made a corking corral of Betzel's long liner to left at the start of the game. Gonzales popped to Daubert. Johnny Miller then assaulted Jack Coombs with a double to right and Tommy Long scored Dots with a lash to left. Tommy stole second and galloped home when Hornsby hammered out a single to centre. Hornsby was marooned when Olson threw out Bescher.

After Smith had opened up on Coombs in the second with a shot to right Uncle Wilbert took out the Colby Carbine and planted Larry Cheney on the pitching peak. Smith took second when Olson threw out Snyder, and attempted to score on Lotz's single to right, but was killed at the plate by Casey Stengel's rifle bullet throw to Otto Miller. Lotz languished when Olson made a one hand catch of Betzel's liner.

Tally Without a Bingle.

The Dodgers scored once in the first, and should have scored more runs without the semblance of a hit. Johnston walked and took second on Daubert's out, J. Miller to Snyder. Lotz passed Stengel and Wheat, filling the bases. With the sacks reeling in the last stages of intoxication Cutshaw lifted a sacrifice fly to Bescher, scoring Johnston. Stengel fell asleep off second, failing to take third on the throw, and Buck Wheat, who had raced down toward second, was thrown out, Bescher, Gonzales to Snyder.

Lotz made the Dodgers lay down, jump through and roll over in the first four frames. Two were down in the fifth epistle when the Superbas suddenly fell on Lotz like a ton of brick. Daubert touched off the rally by beating out one of his copyrighted bunts to Lotz. On the hit and run Stengel boomed a long double down the left field foul line, pushing Yacob across the platter. Wheat followed with a powerful slam to left centre for two bases. Long just getting to the ball and dropping it, scoring Stengel. Cutshaw singled through Snyder, putting Wheat on third.

Mowrey came through in the pinch with a drive to left that sent Wheat and Cutshaw scampering across the scoring dish. Mike did not linger long at third for Olson poled a triple to the left field fence. Mowrey not even having to hurry home. Ivy was stranded at third when Currie, rushing to the rescue of Lotz, made Otto Miller foul out to Gonzales. The score:

ST. LOUIS (N.)

	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Betzel,lf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Stewart,lb	1	0	0	7	0	0
Gonzales	3	0	0	1	0	0
Broton,c	3	0	0	3	0	0
J. Miller,ss	3	1	1	2	0	0
Bohen,ss	1	0	0	0	2	0
Long,rf	4	1	2	3	0	0
Hornsby,2b	4	0	1	2	3	0
Bescher,lf	4	1	3	1	0	0
Smith,rf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Snyder,1b	4	0	0	9	0	0
Lotz,p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Currie,p	1	0	0	0	0	0
*Butler	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	3	9	24	12	1

BROOKLYN (N.)

	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Johnston,rf	4	1	0	0	0	0
Daubert,1b	3	1	1	7	1	0
Stengel,rf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Wheat,lf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Merkle,lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cutshaw,2b	3	1	2	1	2	0
Mowrey,2b	1	1	1	0	0	0
Olson,ss	4	0	2	2	3	1
J. Miller,c	4	0	1	10	1	0
Coombs,p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cheney,p	4	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	30	6	10	27	9	1

*Batted for Currie in the ninth inning.

St. Louis	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1—3
Brooklyn	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	x	—6

Two base hits—J. Miller, Stengel, Wheat. Three base hit—Olson. Stolen bases—Long, Bescher 2, Snyder 2, Cutshaw, Olson 2. Sacrifice hits—Betzel, Daubert. Sacrifice fly—Cutshaw. Double play—Bescher, Gonzales and Snyder. Left on bases—St. Louis, 6; Brooklyn, 7. First base on error—St. Louis, 1. Bases on balls—Off Lotz, 4 (Johnston, Stengel, Wheat, Olson); off Currie, 1 (Olson). Hits and earned runs—Off Lotz, 8 hits, 6 runs in 4 2-3 innings; off Currie, 2 hits, no runs in 2 1-3 innings; off Coombs, 3 hits, 2 runs in 1 1-3 innings; off Cheney, 6 hits, no runs in 7 2-3 innings. Struck out—By Lotz, 2 (Stengel, Mowrey); by Cheney, 9 (Smith 2, Gonzales, Lotz, Stewart, Hornsby, Bohen, Brottem). Wild pitch—Cheney. Umpires—Messrs. Klem (plate) and Emslie (bases). Time of game—2 hours and 5 minutes.

BASEBALL TO-DAY, EBBETS FIELD.
Brooklyn vs. St. Louis, 3:00 P. M.—Adv.

Evans Awarded to Pirates.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 21.—The National Baseball Commission to-day announced that in deciding the status of Player William Evans it had reached the conclusion that Evans belonged to the Pittsburg National League club.

Leaders Widen Gap in Pennant Races

Results of yesterday's games practically assure baseball fans that the world's championship series will be fought out this fall between the Brooklyn Nationals and the Boston Americans. The Dodgers beat the Cardinals, while the Brooklyns nearest rivals, Philadelphia and Boston, lost. The Philadelphians are now two and a half games behind Brooklyn and Boston is four and one-half in the rear of the leaders. Brooklyn still has fourteen games to play, one against St. Louis, six against Chicago, three against Philadelphia and four against New York. Philadelphia has remaining one game against Pittsburg, four against Cincinnati and three against Brooklyn and six against Boston, a total of fourteen. The standing in the National League follows:

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.	To be Played.
Brooklyn	85	55	.60714	14
Philadelphia	82	57	.58993	*14
Boston	78	57	.57777	*15

*Phillies and Boston each have one game which cannot be played off.

In making it three straight over Detroit yesterday Boston pushed Jennings' men another full game behind and the Red Sox now lead the Tigers by three contests. Chicago held on to second place, though the team lost to Philadelphia, but dropped to two and a half games behind Boston.

Boston has eleven games yet to play. Four are with Cleveland, four with New York and three with Philadelphia. Chicago will be playing four with New York and four with Cleveland and Detroit still has to meet Washington in four games and St. Louis in three. The standing:

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.	To be Played.
Boston	84	59	.58741	11
Chicago	83	63	.56949	8
Detroit	83	64	.56463	7

PHILLIES' PENNANT CHANCES ARE SLIM

Quakers Tripped Up by Pirates 8 to 3—Eppa Rixey Knocked Off Mound.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 21—(National).—Pittsburg knocked Rixey off the rubber in five innings to-day and easily defeated Philadelphia, 8 to 3. The victory of the Pirates practically put Philadelphia out of the running for the National League flag.

Carey scored four of the visitors' runs and stole three bases. Grimes was very effective, only two hits being made off him in the first six innings. The score:

PITTSBURG (N.)

	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Baird,2b	5	2	3	4	0	0
Carey,cf	3	1	3	0	0	0
J. Wner,lb	4	0	0	15	0	0
H'man,lf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Alt'berg,lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
King,rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Schulte,rf	2	0	1	1	0	0
McC'thy,3b	4	0	2	1	3	0
Smith,ss	3	0	1	0	0	0
W. Wner,c	3	0	2	0	0	0
Grimes,p	3	1	2	0	2	0
Totals	36	8	11	27	13	1

PHILADELPHIA (N.)

	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Paskert,cf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Bancroft,ss	4	0	1	5	2	1
Stock,3b	4	0	1	0	1	0
Whitted,lf	4	2	1	2	0	1
Cravath,rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Luderus,1b	4	1	1	6	0	0
Niehoff,2b	4	0	1	3	2	0
Killifer,c	3	0	0	9	1	0
Rixey,p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Oeschger,p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bender,p	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Cooper	1	0	0	0	0	0
†Good	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	3	7	27	7	1

*Batted for Rixey in the eighth inning.
†Batted for Oeschger in the eighth inning.

Pittsburg	3	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	2	—8
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	—3

Two base hit—Paskert. Three base hit—Whitted. Stolen bases—Baird 2, Carey 2, J. Wagner, Whitted. Sacrifice hit—Grimes. Sacrifice fly—Cravath. Double plays—McCarthy and J. Wagner; Niehoff, Bancroft and Luderus. Killifer and Bancroft. Left on bases—Philadelphia, 4; Pittsburg, 8. First base on errors—Pittsburg, 2; Philadelphia, 1. Bases on balls—Off Grimes, 1; off Rixey, 2; off Oeschger, 1; off Bender, 2. Hits and earned runs—Off Grimes, 2 runs; off Rixey, 7 hits, 2 runs in 5; off Oeschger, 1 and 1 in 3; off Bender, 3 and 2 in 1. Hit by pitcher—By Oeschger (Carey). Struck out—By Grimes, 2; by Rixey, 3; by Oeschger, 3; by Bender, 2. Wild pitch—Rixey. Umpires—Messrs. Rigler and Eason. Time of game—2 hours and 5 minutes.

PACE OF CHAMPIONS TOO FAST FOR CHICAGO

Drop Final Game of Series With Athletics by Score of 8 to 0.

CHICAGO, Sept. 21—(American).—Chicago failed to keep pace with the world's champions to-day and dropped the final game of the season with the Philadelphia club, 8 to 0.

Joe Bush was in fine form. Ably supported by his teammates, he held Chicago to five scattered hits. The score:

PHILADELPHIA (A.)

	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Witt,ss	4	2	1	0	3	0
Grover,3b	4	0	1	4	0	0
Strunk,rf	5	0	2	0	0	0
Schang,lf	5	0	1	3	0	0
McInnis,1b	4	1	2	9	0	0
Pick,2b	4	1	2	0	1	0
Brown,cf	4	2	2	0	0	0
Haley,c	4	0	1	9	1	0
Bush,p	4	1	2	1	0	0
Totals	38	8	16	27	5	0

CHICAGO (A.)

	ab	r	h	o	a	e
J. Collins,rf	3	0	0	2	0	0
W'ver,3b,ss	4	0	1	0	1	0
E. Collins,2b	4	0	1	0	3	0
Jackson,lf	4	0	2	0	0	0
Leibold,cf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Ness,1b	3	0	0	7	0	0
Fournier	0	0	0	0	0	0
McMullin,3b	1	0	1	1	0	0
Terry,ss	1	0	1	4	3	0
†Felsch	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hasb'k,1b	0	0	0	2	0	0
Lynn,c	1	0	0	3	2	0
Lapp,c	2	0	0	4	1	0
Faber,p	1	0	0	0	3	0
Williams,p	2	0	0	0	0	0
‡Murphy	1	0	0	0	0	0
§Jourdan	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	0	5	27	13	0

*Batted for Ness in the sixth inning.
†Batted for Terry in the sixth inning.
‡Batted for Hasbrook in the ninth inning.
§Batted for Williams in the ninth inning.

Philadelphia	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	4	—8
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Two base hits—Pick, Strunk. Three base hits—Brown, Witt. Stolen bases—Pick, E. Collins, Leibold, McMullin. Sacrifice hit—Grover. Double play—McInnis and Bush. Left on bases—Philadelphia, 5; Chicago, 9. Bases on balls—Off Bush, 6; off Williams, 1. Hits and earned runs—Off Faber, 7 and 4 in 4 1-3; off Williams, 9 and 3 in 4 2-3; off Bush, 5 and none in 9. Struck out—By Faber, 3; by Bush, 7; by Williams, 4. Passed ball—Haley. Umpires—Messrs. Brand and Dineen. Time of game—1 hour and 55 minutes.

$1,080.64 AWARDED O'NEIL.

Former Chairman of Boxing Board to Receive That Sum From State.

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 21.—The Court of Claims to-day awarded $1,080.64 to Frank S. O'Neil of Binghamton for services rendered as chairman of the former State Athletic Commission from May 22, 1915, the date of the enactment of the present boxing law, until October 8, 1915, when his successor was appointed.

The Frawley boxing law, under which O'Neil was appointed, provided that the Commissioners should serve without compensation. It was superseded by the Malone law, which authorized the reorganization of the commission and awarded salaries of $3,000 to the Commissioners. The Court of Claims sustained O'Neil's contention that although no compensation was authorized in the law under which he originally was named, salary was due him for the duties he performed under the new law.

Interleague Series.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Newport News	1	0	1.000
Charlotte	0	1	.000

YESTERDAY'S RESULT.
Newport News, 6; Charlotte, 4.

GIANTS THREATEN PROVIDENCE MARK

Hang Up 16th Consecutive Victory, Perritt Blanking Cubs by 4 to 0 Count.

RARIDEN HITS HOMER

That Providence record of twenty straight in 1884 again is quaking with fear on the dusty old shelves. The Giants took quite a shot at it in the spring, when Al Demaree stopped them after they had piled up seventeen straight.

The Giants again have evil designs on that record. Yesterday the Cubs fell before the McGraw arms in a peaceful tiff and the new winning streak was brought forward to the sixteenth hole. The Cubs took their beating like good little Bruins. They yielded by a score of 4 to 0. When the Cubs did have a chance to score a run Max Flack was so amazed that he tripped over a speck of dust on the third base line and rolled over on the sod. Max then tried to go back to third, but he had another surprise coming to him. Les Mann, travelling from the opposite direction, had beat him to the bag.

But let us not criticise the Cubs too harshly. They are doing all they can toward our record. If the Giants can put Big Jim Vaughn away to-day everything should be smooth sailing and that ancient Providence run of one score victories may be eclipsed. The Cardinals open a six game series here to-morrow and they have resembled a piece of German cheese in their games in Brooklyn.

Perritt Turns the Trick.

William Dayton Perritt, the Louisiana reared Polly, attended to the matter of painting whitewash on Charley Weegham's Teddybears. The uncle of Jeff Tesreau's offspring pitched a freakish game. For three innings the Cubs acted as though they would blow Poll's head right off his shoulders. In three innings they slapped him for six fierce welts, including three in the third. That was the round Mann tripped.

In the next six innings Polly pitched as though he might be working on a no hit game, as he shooed the Cubs away from the plate just as fast as they came up. During those six rounds only one Bruin got on, Zeider walking in the eighth.

Claude Hendrix, who has never been forgiven by Barney Dreyfuss for jumping the Pie-rates during the war, pitched for the hapless cause of Tinker. There is one thing which may be said in Claudie's favor—he did his work with a smile and grinned after each pitch. "Hen" didn't do so badly, but in four innings the Giants mixed enough ingredients to score a run.

Artie Fletcher was rude to an old college chum, Artie Wilson, but "Fletch" was very sorry. In the fourth inning Fletcher attempted to steal home, but he didn't make it close. Wilson was waiting for him with the ball, but there was a collision at the plate and the Gotham Artie pushed Wilson's Adam's apple down his throat. It seemed to be a big one and stuck there, and Wilson had great difficulty in coaxing it up. Both McGraw and Fletcher publicly expressed their sympathy. It wasn't a rough game. There are no feuds between the Cubs and Giants in 1916.

McCarty Is Hurt.

In the first inning a foul tip from Vic Saier's bat mashed one of McCarty's digits and the former Ebbets serf was laid up for repairs. Bill Rariden, who succeeded him, stole one of Kauff's acts. He hit an inside the field home run, beating it out on a fine sprint.

Just now the Giants have an ambition to beat out the Boston Braves, who now lead them by only four games. The Phillies, in second place, have a six game margin on the Giants.

The Giants did their shopping early. They scored one run in both the first and second innings. In the first round Burns slid a single to left and took second on Herzog's grass cutter to Yerkes. Robertson beat out a slow roller to Wortman and Burns scored when Zimm tore a single into right field. Fletcher fanned and on an attempted double steal Zim was out before Robertson could get home.

In the second inning the scoreboard boy hung up another marker for New York, when Rariden jolted the bulb over big Cy Williams's head in deep right centre for a home run.

Heinie Tags Mann and Flack.

In the first inning Mann and Saier singled for the Cubs and in the second Art Wilson cleaved a double to left, but nothing happened. The third was a good laugh producer. With two down, Flack singled to Fletcher and Mann bounced a hot single off Zimmie's glove. Saier drove a line single over second, but Flack developed sea legs after he rounded third and sprawled all over himself. It was then that Flack returned to third to find Mann was already there. Zimm tagged them both to be sure there was no mistake.

The Giants scored a third run in the fourth. Zimm hit a single to his successor, Bunion Zeider, and Fletcher singled to centre. Williams threw wild to third to hold Zimm at second and both runners moved up a base. Heinie scored while Wortman tossed out Kauff.

New York scored its fourth run in the sixth. With two out, Zimm walked and stole second. The Bronx bear cat scored when Fletcher hit one of the longest singles hit in this borough this season. It was a long drive to right centre, but fancy fielding held Artie on first. The score:

CHICAGO (N.)

	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Zeider,3b	3	0	1	2	0	0
Flack,rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Mann,lf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Saier,1b	4	0	1	8	0	0
Williams,cf	4	0	2	0	1	0
Wilson,c	3	0	1	6	3	0
Yerkes,2b	3	0	0	3	2	0
Wortman,ss	3	0	1	2	0	0
Hendrix,p	3	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	31	0	8	21	12	0

NEW YORK (N.)

	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Burns,lf	4	1	1	3	0	0
Herzog,3b	4	0	0	1	0	0
Doolan,2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robert'n,rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Zim'man,3b	3	2	2	1	4	0
Fletcher,ss	3	0	1	2	0	0
Kauff,cf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Hoike,2b	3	0	0	1	3	0
McCarty,c	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rariden,c	3	1	1	2	0	0
Perritt,p	3	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	34	4	7	27	10	0

Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
New York	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	x	—4

Two base hit—Wilson. Home run—Rariden. Stolen bases—Zimmerman, Doolan. Double play—Wilson and Yerkes. Left on bases—New York, 3; Chicago, 5. Earned runs—Off Hendrix, 3. Bases on balls—Off Hendrix, 2 (Zimmerman, Perritt); off Perritt, 1 (Zeider). Struck out—By Perritt, 1 (Hendrix); by Hendrix, 4 (Fletcher, Hoike 2, Robertson). Umpires—Messrs. Quigley and Byron. Time of game—1 hour and 34 minutes.

LAJOIE READY TO RETIRE.

May Become Part Owner and Manager of Salt Lake City Club.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 21.—Napoleon Lajoie is considering an offer which will end his big league career and make him a magnate and manager in the class AA minors if he accepts it. The Salt Lake City ball club in the Pacific Coast League has offered Lajoie the place as playing manager, with the option on a big block of stock in the club.

Lajoie is now in Cleveland, his playing days for the present season being over because of a strained ligament in his leg.

YANKS TAKE FINAL ST. LOUIS SERIES

Bombardment in Ninth Inning Brings New York Verdict by 5 to 4 Score.

MAGEE HAS BIG TIME

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 21.—The Yankees rid themselves of several detracting influences in their final visit to St. Louis this season, which they ended to-day by snatching a game out of the fire in the ninth inning by the score of 5 to 4. In the first place the Yanks corralled a fifteen inning game and in the second place they won two out of three for the series, not only winning their only games of the year here but also taking the only series. All this was done with Ban Johnson looking on.

It was a much different Yankee organization that faced the Browns during the last three days. There was more fight and pep in the visiting team than any club has exhibited this season. Led by Lee Magee with cleanup bingles, the New York contingent played like mad to-day, gaining the verdict with a late drive that smothered Dave Davenport, who for some weeks has been a big stumbling block to the Yanks.

Urban Shocker, the youngster from the International League, handled the ribbons, and while touched up right merrily at divers moments he managed to hold the score within hailing distance. He retired after the eighth via the pinch batting route, and that star of the staff, Bob Shawkey, made certain the victory by disposing of the Browns in the last half of the ninth.

Gedeon Injures Foot.

During the excitement of the St. Louis attack in the fourth inning Joe Gedeon made a desperate try for Rumler's pinch bat effort, and after making a superb stop wrenched his ankle. He was hurt so badly he left the game.

Magee was a most useful member of the visiting clan. It was his single in the fourth inning that chased Walters over the plate with the third Yankee run, and Magee started the rally in the ninth that finally brought victory. Hendryx with four hits and Elmer Miller also worked valiantly to assure a New York success.

The Yankees were the first to score. Baker being shoved around the circuit in the second inning. He began the session with a pass, trotted to second on E. Miller's sacrifice, waited there while Gedeon walked and then ambled home third when Wellman planked Walters in the ribs with a pitched ball, filling the bases. Shocker's fly to Ward Miller in right was far enough from the plate to allow Baker to complete the journey. Magee drove fiercely to Wellman, ending this rally.

Add More Runs.

Two more tallies were added to the Yankee total in the fourth and the Browns collected a pair in their half of that inning. For the Yankees Elmer Miller began with a single. Gedeon sacrificed. Walters lined a hit into centre field and Elmer trotted over the plate. Walters continued to second when Marsans threw home trying to head off Miller. Shocker waited for a pass and Magee shot the ball at Doc Lavan. Doc only got a shin in front of the smash and Walters tallied while the rest of the Browns were trying to catch up with the bounding ball.

Pratt opened the first fierce attack Shocker experienced during the game, starting the fourth with a double. Marsans walked. Austin popped to Baker. Hartley walked, filling the bases. Lavan, the weak, became strong, with a single that chased Pratt and Marsans over the plate. Rumler batted for Wellman and grounded out. It was on this play that Gedeon injured himself and Baumann was rushed into his place, in time to toss out Shotton, ending the inning.

St. Louis took the lead in the sixth, adding two runs. With one out, Austin reached first safely on Shocker's fumble. Hartley singled. Lavan rolled out to Pipp, unassisted, both runners advancing. Davenport walked, filling the bases, and Shotton produced the needed single, Austin and Hartley crossing the plate. W. Miller flied to E. Miller.

It was won in the ninth by the Yankees in this manner: High batted for Shocker and was out. Magee singled to left. Hendryx tripled to right, Magee scoring. Peck bunted cleverly on the squeeze play and Hendryx tallied with the winning run.

In the Browns' half of the frame Borton got to third with one out but tried to score after Pratt flied to Elmer Miller and was doubled at the plate by Miller's great throw. The score:

NEW YORK (A.)

	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Magee,cf	5	1	2	0	0	0
Hendryx,rf	5	1	4	0	0	0
P'pangh,ss	5	0	2	2	0	1
Pipp,1b	5	0	8	0	0	0
Baker,3b	3	1	0	2	1	0
E. Miller,lf	3	1	1	5	0	0
Gedeon,2b	0	0	0	1	0	0
Baumann,2b	2	0	2	2	0	0
Walters,c	3	1	1	6	0	0
Shocker,p	1	0	0	0	0	0
*High	1	0	0	0	0	0
Shawkey,p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	5	13	27	1	0

ST. LOUIS (A.)

	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Shotton,lf	5	0	1	0	0	0
W. Miller,rf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Borton	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tobin	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sisler,1b	5	0	4	8	1	0
Pratt,3b	5	1	2	4	2	0
Marsans,cf	4	1	0	3	1	0
Austin,3b	4	1	2	1	2	0
Hartley,c	4	1	1	7	0	0
Lavan,ss	4	0	2	1	3	0
Wellman,p	1	0	0	0	3	0
§Rumler	1	0	0	0	0	0
Davenp't,p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	38	4	12	27	14	1

*Batted for Shocker in the ninth inning.
†Batted for Wellman in the fourth inning.
‡Batted for W. Miller in the ninth inning.
§Ran for Borton in the ninth inning.

New York	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	2	—5
St. Louis	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	—4

Two base hits—Hendryx, Sisler, Pratt. Three base hit—Hendryx. Stolen base—Hendryx. Sacrifice hits—E. Miller, Gedeon. Sacrifice fly—Shocker. Double plays—Austin, Lavan, Marsans and Sisler; E. Miller and Walters. Left on bases—New York, 5; St. Louis, 9. First base on error—New York, 1. Bases on balls—Off Shocker, 4; off Shawkey, 1; off Wellman, 3. Hits and earned runs—Off Shocker, 11 hits, 4 runs in 8 innings; off Wellman, 6 hits, 3 runs in 4; off Shawkey, 1 hit, no runs, in 1; off Davenport, 2 hits, 2 runs in 5. Hit by pitcher—By Wellman (Walters). Struck out—By Shocker, 4; by Wellman, 1; by Davenport, 1. Passed ball—Walters. Umpires—Messrs. Chill and Connolly. Time of game—2 hours and 22 minutes.

PIRATES OBTAIN CARLSON.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 21.—The Pittsburg National League club announced to-day that Pitcher Harold Carlson had been obtained by the draft route from the team at Rockford, Ill. The Chicago Nationals had first choice upon the Rockford club, but cancelled their claim.

Fans Rebel at Prices Set for Big Series by Ebbets

"Brooklyn Seats Two Inches Wider Than Any Others" Is One of the Alibis Advanced for Unwarranted Increase—Top Rate Is Five Dollars.

By FREDERICK G. LIEB.

It took the Brooklyn ball club quite a spell to get into the world's series. We presume, of course, that a two and a half game lead will suffice to land the Superbas in the big series. It may be a long time before Brooklyn gets into another world's series, as John McGraw has built up a club which should sail through the National League like a greased pig next season.

This being the case, it looks very much as though Charles Hercules Ebbets, the smiling squire of Flatbush, intends to shovel in all the dough he can while the shovelling is good. A historic character, with similar notions, once slew a goose whose eggs could be moulded into five dollar gold pieces.

Speaking of those gold pieces, quite a few should roll into the Ebbets coffers during the next fortnight, provided Pat Moran's Phils do not declare a revolution and beat Ebbets in the last stretch.

As the shopkeeper said while selling an article made in Terre Haute, Ind., "Owing to the war the price of this went up 50 per cent., so owing to the war and the high price of paper, the world's series tickets in Brooklyn will be 100 per cent. higher than anything yet asked for world's series fare.

Here Are the Prices.

Gents, here is the Brooklyn price list:

All box seats, $5 per game.

Rows one to five downstairs, back of the boxes, and first seven rows upstairs, back of the boxes, $5 per game.

Rows 10 to 22 downstairs, $3 per game.

Rows 8 to 15 upstairs, $3 per game.

Pavilion seats (present 50 cent bleacher seats), $2 per game.

Right field temporary bleacher seats, $2 per game.

Left field temporary bleacher seats, $1 per game.

Note, we say one game after each amount so no one will get confused and think this amount is for the series. Only the $5 and $3 seats will be reserved.

Judging from the various reports received last night from sections of Brooklyn and Kings county, where folks are directly interested in this schedule, those voting in favor of Charlie Ebbets's high baseball finance were very much in the minority. Some of the squawks were so loud they could be heard on this side of the bridge. The squire's constituents are in open rebellion. They are willing to admit that paper is very high and that the war is a horrible thing, but two entire bones for a bleacher ticket has rather taken the wind out of them.

What makes it still worse from a Brooklyn viewpoint is that President Lannin of the Boston Red Sox has announced that there will be no increase in former prices if the Red Sox get in the series. In answer to a question sent him by THE SUN President Baker of the Phillies wired back: "If Philadelphia should win there will be no increase over last year's prices despite the limited capacity of our park."

The price list of the Brooklyn club is far in excess to anything ever asked for world's series tickets. When the series were played on the Polo Grounds boxes sold for $5, the upper grand stand for $3, the lower for $2, and bleachers $1. This has been the general run of prices everywhere, though the Red Sox had 3,000 50-cent seats last season, and Mack formerly charged 50 cents to stand in the outfield at Shibe Park.

Red Sox May Use Braves Field.

Ebbets at present averages more per head than any major league owner and is the only club owner in baseball who gets $1 for front seats in the lower stands. These seats sell for 75 cents on the Polo Grounds and 50 cents in Philadelphia. He also proposed legislation last winter that the National League clubs do away with all 25 cent seats, but that stirred up the fans in the two bit towns, and Ebbets withdrew his motion without a vote being called on it.

His increase in world's series tickets is the most drastic thing he yet has attempted. Last year the Boston prices were $5 for boxes, $3 for reserved grand stand seats, $2 for reserved pavilion seats, $1 for unreserved pavilion seats and 50 cents for bleachers. These prices will again hold good this season. Word was received from Boston last night that the Red Sox will most likely use Braves Field again, where the capacity is 42,000, against